November 27, 1874.

our Resources.

The Board of Commissioners appointed by Governor Kemper to "collect specimens llustrating Virginia resources for the Philadelphia international exhibition," consisting Professor J. W. Mallet, of the University Virginia; General Joseph R. Anderson General T. M. Logan, General Harry Heth, Dr. S. P. Moore, and W. H. Haxall, Esq., of Richmond; General Fitzhugh Lee, of Fairfax : Colonel James L. Corley, of Charlotte; G. W. Palmer, of Saltville; and Colonel M. B. Hardin, of the Virginia Military Institute, are actively engaged discharging the duties imposed upon them. As the first step, they have printed and will distribute a large number of circulars asking the people to assist them in getting up a collection to illustrate our natural and industrial resources. Accomonving the circular is " a list of specimens," it is asked that those to whom it is sent will run over it carefully and mark legibly any articles named which they can and will exhibit themselves, or which they know any one at le and probably willing to contribute. The list embraces all descriptions of fuel, metallic ores, building-stones, clays and maris, other minerals in crude state, first roducts mannfactured from mineral mateal, more finished products from mineral material, crude vegetable products, manufactured products from vegetable material, erude animal products, manufactured products from animal material, manufactured products from mixed material, models illustrating inventions, and artistic products.

The Board say: "Full credit will in all cases be given to contributors, and their names and addresses labelled upon the specimens in the exhibition. Those who thus contribute to the State collection will secure more local prominence than individuals general managers, running the risk of their specimens being more or less lost to sight amid numbers of articles of the same kind. There is no reason, however, that the same person should not, if he disire, contribute to he State collection and also exhibit in duplicate as an individual.

"It is requested that the specimens be given to the State, but if in any case it be preferred by the owners to lend them for the purpose in view this fact should be noted on "It is hoped that all expenses of trans-

portation by railroad and steamer, and the cest of exhibition at Philadelphia, will be provided for by the State, contributors being only required to deliver their goods, propertransportation of their goods.

"The present circular is sent out with the object only of collecting information as to what can be depended on for the collection trustees, defendants. proposed. The time remaining for action is, lowever, extremely short, and it is really important to the industrial interests of the whole State, and of all her citizens who have anything to show worthy of the attention of the world, that needless delay shall not render vain our effort to secure creditable representation of our resources at Philadelphia."

SCHOOL TRUSTEES APPOINTED .- The following school trustees have been appointed: Brunswick county: Totaro district, J. Ravenscroft Jones; Meherrin district, A. A. Delbridge; Red Oak district, J. R. Man-

Culpeper county : Jefferson district, James P. Wager. Campbell county: Rustburg district, D. S. Evans ; Brookville district, W. R. Massie

Otter River district, Abner Early and D. R. Arnold; Seneca district, James M. Farmer; Falling River district, W. M. Hamlet. Carroll county: Laurel Fork district, C. M. Marshall. Fairfax county: Providence district, F

Fauquier county : Marshall district, W

F. Turner; Centre district, Thomas E. Diggs; Scott district, T. B. Hutchison; Rappanock district, W. D. Cooper; Cedar Run district, John H. Ensor. Fluvanna county : Cumningham district, Willis C. Thomas.

Highland county: Bluegrass district, Henry White and H. M. Tomlinson; Monterey district, A. T. Stevenson; Stonewall district, Joseph Lane. King and Queen county: Newtown dis-

trict, John G. Dew: Stevensville district, Dr. S. S. Henley; Buena Vista district,

Thomas K. Savage.
Floyd county: Locust Grove district, James Martin; Little River district, Isaac Huff; Jacksonville district, Noah Simmons; Alum Ridge district, George Ellis; Indian Valley district, Dr. J. C. Bishop; Burke's

Fork district, Bethel Hylton. Lee county: Rose Hill district, W. P. Bules; Jonesville district, A. G. Livingston; Rocky Station district, Rev. John Jessee

Yokum Station district, Carr Bailey. Middlesex county : Jamaica district, J. W. Byland; Saluda district, R. T. Bland; Pinetop district, B. F. Hart. Nelson county: Lovingston district, W.

Anderson; Greenfield district, Dr. H. L. Blaine. Nottoway county: Blenden district, R.

L. Osborne; Bellefont district, Rev. J. W. Bliccoe; Haytokah district, Dr. W. F. War-Rockbridge county: Lexington district

Rev. E. L. Kregloe; Natural Bridge district, Colonel A. G. Hamilton; Buffale.district, L. Schorn ; Kerr's Creek district, John Adair; South River district, G. W. Houstig. Spotsylvania county: Chancellor's dis-

trict, Henry R. Robey ; Livingston district, Ira P. Turpley; Cumberland district B. F. Bullock; Berkley district, Thomas L. Chew-Scott county : Fulkerson district, Amos

enandoah county : Lee district. B. B.

Wierman; Ashby district, A. J. Myers; Madison district, S. C. Smucker; Johnston district, Emanue Shaver; Stonewall district, Jacob Speigle; Davis district, Dr. G. A. Brown.

Wise county : Robertson district, Harvey Long. Accornac county : Islands district, Joseph

T. Kenney; Atlantic district, James A. Hall; Metompkin, John E. Wise; Lee district, Edthe court, ward L. East; Pungoteague district, Thomas to be opposed to taking any action whatever and a fluting iron.

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RICHMOND, VA., MONDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 29, 1875.

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New Phase of the Railroad Suit

ARGUMENT TO DISMISS IT.

The Court Takes Time to Consider. FRESH PROCEEDINGS IN A STATE COURT.

Judge Bond arrived in the city Saturday morning, and the United States Circuit Court was opened a little after 10 e'clock, Judges Hughes and Bond both on the bench. New York; Judge Crump, Judge Robertson, Henry T. Wickham, R. T. Daniel, Colonel W. W. Gordon, James Aifred Jones,
Joseph Bryan, representing parties to the
suit—besides a large number of businessmen and citizens, who awaited with deep anxiety the motion it was known counsel were prepared to make in the Chesapeake

and Ohio Rallroad case. address the court. He spoke in a plain, con-that the United States Circuit Court will United States Circuit Court upon the versational way, attempting no flights of elo-have to decide that it has no jurisdiction, so overdue coupons, and had obtained judgquence and making no effort to "show off" numerous and pointed are the authorities before the large crowd. On behalf of the on the subject. defendants he moved to dismiss the proceedings in this court-first, because the court defect as to the parties to the suit, and be the hands of Judge Bond and enable Judge quoted the law, which gives jurisdiction to the United States courts only in cases where all of the plaintiffs and all of the defendants are citizens of different States; second, because it was the right of the complainants in any cause to dismiss their proceedings (as they proposed to do in this case) before de-

NO JURISDICTION IN THE COURT. citizens of New York, and the original de- the order for the payment of counsel's fees Mr. Evarts said the original plaintiffs were fendants were some of them also citizens of New York. In the amended bill the defect was not corrected; therefore this court could have no jurisdiction in the premises, under the law. Mr. Evarts supported his position by quotations from Wallace's Report and by a long line of decisions from various English and State authorities. Inasmuch as objections to jurisdiction could be made at any time in the progress of the case, and the Supreme Court could take notice of it even without suggestion, it was deemed essential that it should be called at once to the attention of the court, and that plaintiffs should also be admonished of a want of jurisdiction. so that they might take whatever other action they deemed judicious-taking the case to the State courts, for instance.

Mr. Evarts said it was not possible to arrange the case so as to bring it within the jurisdiction of this court.

THE COMPLAINANTS AGREE TO DISMISS. Judge Shipman, of counsel for all the argument, said that the points raised by Mr. sending their contributions separately to tion; that he was firmly convinced that the of said Beeher be held in the office of the seen that the special provision made for the Evarts had received his most careful atten-Philadelphia, since the latter will have to submit to the classification adopted by the general managers, running the risk of their the defendants-the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company-to dismiss for want of ju-

The order offered, but which the court would not allow to be filed, is as follows: Circuit Court of the United States, Fourth Judicial Circuit, Bastern District of Virginia: William Butler Duncan, Philo C. Calhoun, as trustees; John Ponder, Joseph P. Lloyd, R. T. Colburn, Richard Irving, W. B. Hatch, Ezra Wheeler, Albert F. Richards, Charlotte A. Clark, and Morris Lowenthal, complainants, vs. The Chesapeake and and the assignee was further directed to sell ly packed, at any railroad station or canal Ohio Railroad, the Board of Public Works the bankrupt's real estate and choses in aclanding. Those who exhibit as individuals of the State of Virginia; John B. Young and will have themselves to bear the expenses of R. R. Howison, trustees; W. B. Duncan, P. trustees; W. B. Duncan, P. C. Calhoun, and William Orton, surviving

And now come all the complainants in the above entitled cause, and being advised that said cause cannot be maintained in this court, hereby dismiss their original and lar docket on Tuesday morning, and will amended bills in said cause, and will proceed no further therein. W. D. SHIPMAN, W. W. CRUMP, of counsel,

SHIPMAN, BARLOW, LAROQUE, McFARLAND-W. W. CRUMP, solicitors for the complain ants.

THE COURT'S VIEWS.

Judge Bond, responding to the motion of Mr. Evarts, which had been seconded by Judge Shipman, said the court was not now ready to entertain such a motion; that the matter was of great consequence, and notice must be given all the defendants. Some of them were not in court. \*Mr. Evarts dissented from that view of the

case, and gave his reasons therefor. He thought, as a matter of right, the plaintiffs | Roanoke county. were entitled to dismiss their suit.

Judge Bond said that in some sort of bills that was no doubt true. Judge Shipman again called attention to the fact that he represented all the com-

Mr. Evarts said if the plaintiffs dismissed their bill the defendants were all dismissed

with it. Judge Bond was of opinion there could be no doubt about that when parties were suing in their own right; here it might be that the trustees were acting in their fidu-

THE ORDER OF COURT.

The Court announced the 20th of December as the time fixed for further hearing, and that owing to these proceedings in open court it would not be necessary to give the defendants other notice. If on the 20th of December any parties appeared and wished to be heard on the motion, the Court would

give them that opportunity. Mr. Evarts asked if it would not be well to invite Chief-Justice. Waite to sit in the

Judge Bond approved the suggestion, and said that the court might be held at Alexandria, in order to make it more convenient for the Chief-Justice. So that point was fixed. The Supreme Court of the United States adjourns on the 18th of December, and as Judge Waite will be at leisure it is believed D. Liggon; Massie's Mills district, Dr. C. K. he will sit in the case. In that event the court will consist of Chief-Justice Waite and Judge Bond. If Judge Waite does not sit the court will consist of Judges Bond and

Hughes. The clerk of the court entered the follow

W. B. Duncan, Philo C. Calhoun, as trustees, John Ponder, and others vs. The Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, the Board of Public Works of Virginia, and others- In equity .- And now comes the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, one of the defendants in the above entitled cause, and being advised that this court has no jurisdiction of said cause, moves this court that it do dismiss the complainants' bills, original and amended, and proceed no ding, Thomas Collier, a penitentlary con-Miller; Floyd district, J. H. Beckley, De further in this cause; which motion, having Kalo district, Emory Cox; Taylor district, been argued by counsel, was filed by leave of Harrison Lyon; Powell district, O. H. Gob. court, and ordered to be docketed and set for put in for one year each for the same offence,

taken in the case.

Colonel W. W. Gordon said that in the absence of Mr. Steger, counsel for the receiver, he would inquire what was to be done lored) was arrested about the instructions the receiver asked of the First station-house.

Mr. Evarts and Judge Rebertson seemed

until the question of jurisdiction was settled. and Judge Bond was understood as acquies cing so far as to promise that no order or instruction should be given without notice. Judge Robertson complained that the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company had been ignored by the receiver, and that they had no notice of the receiver's report. Colonel Gordon responded that the receiver's duty was to report to the court, not to the lawyers; yet Mr. Tyson bad informed

show it to him. A NEW BULT. Saturday afternoon, subsequent to the pro ceedings in the Circuit Court of the United States, Judge Shipman filed a bill in the Cir-cuit Court of Richmond. It was a suit There were probably fifty or sixty members | brought by the trustees under the fifteenof the bar present—among them Messrs. million-dollar six-per-cent. gold-bond mort-Evarts, Storrs, Shipman, and Macfarland, of gage, asking Judge Wellford to appoint a re-

one of the counsel about it, and offered to

Many lawyers of prominence on Saturday expressed the opinion that the Chesa-Hon. William M. Evarts, of New York, of peake and Ohio Railroad Company have a counsel for the defendants, was the first to that the United States Circuit Court will

Credit is given to Mr. Storrs for raising the point of jurisdiction-a point which is has no jurisdiction, cwing to irremediable confidently relied on to take the case out of visors, requiring them to show cause why an

Wellford to proceed with it. The New York lawyers left the city by the 2:35 train Saturday. They believe that victory is certainly with their cause now.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SATUR DAY - Judge Hughes presiding .-- In the matter of Gideon W. Morris, bankrupt. The order confirming the sale by the assignee of the bankrupt's real estate was set aside, and suspended until the further order of the court. The assignee was also enjoined from making any further disposition or exemption

of the bankrupt's estate.
In the matter of R. A. Hilliard, bankrupt L. D. Robinson, administrator of said bankrupt, was ordered to show cause, on the 9th December next, why he should not be enjoined from further administering upon the

In the matter of Samuel Wolfe, bankrupt Meade Haskins was appointed assignee. In the matter of A. R. Deems, bankrupt The assignee was ordered to pay to the bankrnpt's wife the balance in his hands, and that he thereupon be discharged.

In the matter of Jasper H. Wells, bankrupt. The creditors were ordered to show cause before the register at Richmond why the bankrupt's real estate should not be sold free of liens; and the register was directed to make a report of the liens upon said pro-

In the matter of B. Becher, alleged bankplaintiffs, at the conclusion of Mr. Evarts's rupt. Upon the application of certain unseargument, said that the points raised by Mr. cured creditors of the alleged bankrupt it was ordered that a meeting of the creditors Trustees Mutual Building Fund and Dol-

risdiction. Judge Shipman declared that lar Savings Bank vs. Mary Powell's trustee after careful inquiry and scrutiny he could find no ground upon which the suit could ring this cause to F. W. Christian to make stand in this court, and that he had prepared an order to meet the case.

The order offered, but which the court rupt. The assignee was ordered to show cause before the court at Richmond why the bankrupt's exemption should not be assigned

In the matter of Carter M. Braxton, bank rupt. The assignee and trustee was ordered, after the payment of the costs, to pay the balance in his hands to the creditors entitled thereto, according to their respective rights,

SUPREME COURT OF APPEALS, SATURDAY .trustees; James Lyons, sole surviving trustee; P.C. Calhoun and William K. Kitchen, Fully argued by Major Page for the appellants and submitted. Bunting vs. Willis Judge, &c. Argued and submitted. The Court will commence calling the regu-

lar docket on Tuesday morning, and will which are marked on the printed docket as submitted. The motions in Otterback vs. Alexandria

and Fredericksburg Railway Company, and dria on the first Monday in January next. Pullen vs. Dudley's administrator, &c., were continued till next Saturday.

Epes vs. Piedmont and Arlington Life Insurance Company. Supersedess refused to a judgment of the Circuit Court of the city of

Richardson vs. Hodgen and als. Appea refused to a decree of the Circuit Court of Henry county. Deyerle vs. Stair (Wytheville case). Appeal allowed to a decree of the Circuit Court of

CHANCERY COURT - Judge Edward H. Fitz. hugh presiding.—The following cases were disposed of on Saturday: Ex parte-Jackson B. Wood, &c. Order removing trustee, who declines to accept the

trust, and appointing another in his place. Williams, trustee, vs. Tompkins, &c. Tompkins, &c., vs. Macfarland, &c. Decree confirming report of commissioner and directing a sale of the bonds in the proceedings

Beck's guardian vs. Beck's heirs. Decree confirming report of commissioner and making a final disposition of the cause. Gray's executor vs. Gray, &c. Decree referring the special question therein mentioned to a commissioner for inquiry and re-

Johnson, &c., vs. Greaner, &c. Decree or petition of F. P. Turner, Esq., referring cause to a commissioner for inquiry and report. Samuel and wife vs. Pollard's executor, &c

Decree appointing a trustee in the place of one who is dead. Jones's executor es. Jones, &c. Decree referring cause to a commissioner for inquiry

and report. POLICE COURT, SATURDAY-At the Police Court on Saturday morning, Justice J. J. White presiding, the following cases were

disposed of: James Brown (colored), who was on Friday detected in an attempt to steal and carry away a barrel of brandy, the property of John W. Brooks, valued at eighty dollars, was sent to jail for eight months. Lewis Gray (colored), charged with steal-

sent to jail for five days. J. A. Dinsmore, arrested for passing counterfeit five-dollar note, was sent on to the United States commissioner. Lewellyn Pollard (colored) was fined five dollars for using the city water without

vict, was tried for an attempted escape and declared not guilty. The following were hearing on the 20th day of December, at with one twelfth of the time in solitary confinement—viz.: Taliaferro Yerby, Willis Dozier, William Hall, James Stokes, Henry Mr. Evarts inquired if he was right in the understanding that between this time and the 20th of December no further action would be

A SHAWL SPOLEN .- Simma Bennett (costealing one shawl ning at 5 o'clock. from H. Hutzier, In her possession were found a new felt hat, an imitation fur cap, classic field fulling transfer from the finance committee will meet at the found a new felt hat, an imitation fur cap, classic fields.

DEBTS OF COUNTIES.

How they Must be Provided for Important Decision by Judge Bond

In the United States Circuit Court Satur day, Judge Bond presiding, Mr. John How-ard moved the court for an absolute man damus in the case of Thomas E. Jenkins, of Baltimore, vs. the Board of Supervisors of the county of Culpeper. He read the peti-tion of Mr. Jenkins filed on the 12th of October, 1875, setting forth that under an act of the General Assembly of December, 1870, the county of Culpeper had issued bonds to the amount of fifteen thousand dollars, with interest coupons thereto attached, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of erecting a court-house and other public buildings in the county; that the bonds had been accordingly issued, and that several instalments of conpons, of which Mr. Jenkins was the holder, had fallen due and had been dishonored; that by the said act of Assembly the Board of Supervisors were authorized to levy a special tax for the pay-ment of the bonds and interest-coupons, and that the faith of the county was pledged to the payment thereof; that the Board failed to perform their duty under the law; that Jenkins had accordingly brought suit in the ment thereon, upon which execution had been issued, and returned "no effects," and praying the court for a rule or mandamus nisi against the Board of Supermanding them to pay the judgment and execution immediately, or in default thereof to levy a special tax, under the direction and supervision of the court, for that purpose.

cordingly issued and been duly served upon Mr. C. U. Williams appeared for the county of Culpeper, and filed the answer of the Board of Supervisors. The answer stated that the Board had in December, 1874, passed an order levying a special tax for the purpose of paying the interest-coupons and of creating a sinking fund for the psyment of the bonds themselves when they should become due; that the Board had also passed orders directing the treasurer of the county to pay the coupons which had fallen due, and that no interest should be allowed on the coupons after their maturity. The Board of Supervisors thus claimed that they had done their whole duty in the matter, and their counsel contended that nothing further Augusta, Ga., lying at the point of death.

And it was shown that the rule had been ac-

could be required of them. Mr. Howard read the statutes, showing the jurisdiction of the Board of Supervisors under the law, and held that under all the circumstances of the case the Board had been negligent of their duty, and had not properly exercised the powers with which they were clothed for a timely and effectual levy of taxes for the payment of the debt; that four semi-annual instalments of coupons had fallen due and not a dollar had been paid, and that it was the legal duty and business of the Board of Supervisors not merely to have levied a special tax, but to have levied it in time to meet the coupons, and to have purpose, and that it did not appear they had done so, and that upon the whole there had been a failure of duty on the part of the Board and of the county, and that the court ought to issue an absolute mandamus commanding the Board of Supervisors to pay, or cause to be paid, the judgment and execution which had been recovered and issued against the county, principal, interest, and costs, and also the costs of the proceedings for mandamus.

The court (Judge Bond) entered an order awarding an imperative mandamus against the Board of Supervisors, commanding them, on or before the 1st day of February next to pay, or cause to be paid, to Mr. Jenkins the amount of his judgment and execution, and costs, and the costs of the mandamus

proceedings. CASES DISPOSED OF EY COMMISSIONER AT KINE .- J. A. Dinsmore was examined by Commissioner Atkins on Saturday on the charge that he "did, with intent to defraud, pass utter, publish, or sell a certain falsely-made, forged, counterfeited, or altered obligation or other security of the United States-to wit, a certain false'y-made, forged, counterfeited, or altered United States note and repairing the church. purporting to be of the denomination of five dollars, in violation of the laws of the United States." Accused was sent on to the United States grand jury which meets in Alexan-He was remanded to jail in default of security for his appearance. The note he passed was described in this paper on Saturday. It was undoubtedly printed to deceive, but nothing appeared in the words upon it to inlicate that it was a United States note.

Grace-Street Baptist church has held teresting meetings, the pastor (Dr. Hatcher) having presched every night to large and solemn congregations. About eighteen have professed conversion, there are a number of other inquirers, and there seems every prospect of an extensive revival. The meetings will be kept up every night this week.

The interest at Pine-Street Baptist church

has not abated, but is indeed on the increase. Board of Police Commissioners," the follow-Large congregations attend every night, Rev. G. Gray, of Fincastle, is preaching to solemnly-attentive hearers. Over twenty have professed conversion, and the worl goes on with increasing power. Mr. Gray will preach every night this week. Dr. Garlick is preaching every night at Leigh-Street Baptist church, and about

twenty have professed faith in Christ. The meetings will continue this week.

TRANSFERS OF REAL ESTATE.—The following is a list of the conveyances of real estate for the week ending November 27, 1875: Lots fronting: 76 feet on Tenth street between B and C for \$8,100; 42 feet on Second street between I and K for \$2,010; 28 feet on D street near Shockoe slip for \$2,500; 36} feet on Williamsburg avenue near Ash for witnesses what a folly to call such a proceed-\$255; 46 feet on Third street between Baker | ing justice. Why did Mr. Knox refuse to atand Duval for \$800; 24 feet on E street be- tend? Simply because his testimony would feet on Pine street near Albemarle for There could be no other reason. \$1,000; — feet on Adams street between K ing a lot of tanbark from Snyder & Co., was and L for \$550; 30 feet on Twenty-seventh street between H and I for \$348; 43 feet on Twenty-fifth street for \$400; 25 feet on Thirtieth street near O for \$225; 26 feet on Twenty-fourth street between K and L for 21,000; 51 feet on Twenty-fourth street near Chiles for assaulting and beating Archie I for \$600; 3 feet on I street for \$180; 37 Morris (colored). feet on L street between Third and Fourth for 8-; 32 feet on Duval street between Price and St. Peter's for \$100; 80 feet on I wenty-sixth street between D and E, exchange; - feet on K street between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh, exchange; 80 feet on Twenty-sixth street between D and E for \$1,000; 84 feet on I street for \$2; STATE TAXES,-An important notice bear-

cord street for 2 COUNCIL MATTERS.—There will be no meeting of this body this evening, to-day being the fifth Monday in the month. The Committee on Ordinances, of which

Mr. George L. Christian is chairman, will

day and taken to meet at the office of the chairman this eveo'clock.

ACCIDENT TO A BARGE. The barge Green | THE BLINWOOD AND WARVICK COLLARS are bush, belonging to the Old Dominion Steamship Company, while being towed to City Point Friday night, sprung a leak or struck a snag in Graveyard reach and filled with water. The barge was on her way to the Isaac Bell. The freight was, fortunately, all on deck, and consequently none of it was damaged.

LAND SALES .- Mr. George M. Drewry, land-broker, 1014 Main street, sold last week the following lands: For Mr. Zebedee Bradley, 30 acres in Chesferfield county eight miles from Blobmond for \$800 casb, and for Captain Philip Haxall, Harden, 800 acres, with stock, etc., lying in Charles City county, on James river, seventeen miles from Rich-mond, for \$15,000.

ROLL OF HONOR AT THE RICHMOND HIGH-School.—The following is the roll of honor at the Richmond High-School for last week: Junior Class.—Mary L. Cottrell, Carrie Drew, Alice Ezekiel, Rosa Fleishman, Ida Hutzler, Lillian V. Hutton, Mamle A. Lyon, Mary Nowlin, Janet Peek, Ida Ragland, Rachel Van Vort, Florrie Wilkerson, Harry Moses, William E. Cree. Intermediate Class. - Jennie Armstrong

nie B. Pace, Sailie B. Powers, Linda South Senior Class.—Laura Brackett, Mary E. Fox, Julia R. Henning, Meta Krausse, Daisy Murray, George H. Armstead. cilities for the prompt execution of all kinds of

Carrie Bennett, Ida C. Cox, Clara V. Dear-born, Jennie D. Hall, Loulie Minetree, An-

Attendance for the week, 961 per cent. MILITARY OFFICERS ELECTED .- The follow ing non-commissioned officers of Company D (Captain R. M. Taylor) were elected on Saturday night: Orderly Sergeant, J. Fendall Gregory; Second Sergeant, Pleasant Gentry; Third Sergeant, Charles E. Angle; Fourth Sergeant, J. T. Munn; Fifth Sergeant, W. T. Oliver; First Corporal, J. S. L Owens; Second Corporal, C. H. Wade Third Corporal, E. Sims; Fourth Corporal, William B. Mahoney.

A DRUNKEN MAN'S HAT STOLEN .- Cyrus Anderson, a colored man, was arrested Saturday night charged with stealing a hat from the head of a man who was lying drunk on Seventeenth street.

PERSONAL .- Judge W. D. Shipman, New York, on Saturday qualified to practice in the United States Circuit Court and in the Circuit Court of Richmond.

THE OPERA-MARTHA.-Rarely has a finer audience, both in point of numbers and in critical taste, been gathered in the Theatre than was present Saturday night at the last appearance of the Phillipps Opera Company. Parquet, dress-circle, and galleries were packed with the elite of the city. The grand old opera, with its exquisite solos and rich quartettes and splendid over-

ture, was presented in a most satisfactory manner, and the audience was, to say the least, carried away with enthusiasm. Such an oyation as was given the company Satur-day night has seldem been awarded by a Richmond house before. At the close of the last act the singers were called before the curtain three times-

an ovation never known here before. act of the Barber of Seville, with Miss Ade-laide Phillipps as Rosins. During the inimitable music-lesson in this act Miss Phillipps sang Kathleen Mayourneen, The Rosebush, and Coming through the Rye. That her audience was touched by her exquisite rendering of these songs was attested by the applause bestowed so lavishly.

Miss Phillipps and her company will leave Richmond to the regret of its opera-goers. She will be greeted with crowded houses when she visits us again; and now that she has made our acquaintance it is to be hoped that she will give Richmond every season a week of such enjoyment as was afforded last. The company goes to Petersburg from here.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH FAIR .- The enterprising ladies of old St. John's church, Church Hill, will commence their fair and feast at Blair's former stand, at the corner of Ninth and Main streets, this morning. The tables COAL AND WOOD.—I BUI HOW SCINE, ANTHRACITE, CLOVER HILL, SPLINT, and BLACK HEATH COAL; CARBON HILL and BELLONA SOFT COKE; OAK and PINE WOOD, long, sawed, and kindling.

CADMUS C. JOHNSON,
Basin bank, No. 811, between Eighth and Ninth no 2-1m will be bountifully supplied with a great variety of useful and fancy articles, besides everything good to eat found in our markets. The proceeds will be devoted to painting

THE MONUMENTAL CHURCH FAIR .- The ladies of the Monumental church propose having a fair and feast on Main street near Ninth, commencing on Monday the 6th of December. The proceeds will be devoted to paying for church improvements.

Mr. Editer Dispach : Will U or some body else jist tell us who am rite in dis here las lection? We bin redin in de Dispach Upon the oath of E. E. Taylor, Gideon W. every mornin bout depositions, but we cant Morris, bankrupt, was brought before the Commissioner charged with secreting and times one of de sides am lected an all rite; concealing certain property belonging to his den gin it peerd like tuther side am all rite, estate, and wilfully and fraudulently omit an dey lected too; den agin it seam like narry ting the same from his inventory. The case side was lected; an den agin it peered like was continued to December 2d, and accused all sides was lected. Dey was proovin one admitted to bail in the sum of five hundred dollars, with Augelic McFalland as surety.

Revivals.—Several of our churches are mjoying revival seasons.

Grace-Street Rantist church has held a surety to be a sure of the sum of the su how on arth is so many gwine for to git in? during the past week a series of deeply-in- Jist plese tell us, Mr. Editer, who got de INQUIRER. possishon.

> [Communicated.] RICHMOND, November 26, 1875. Editors Dispatch: I have just this moment (10 P. M.) seen the statement in the "local columns" of your paper of this date, under the head of "Meeting of the

ing-viz.: "That the charges preferred against Policeman Shields by Dr. Parker were not sustained." And why? Because Mr. W. F. Knoz, my principal witness, was not present at the examination. I inquired why he was not present, and was told by the board that he had been duly summoned but refused to appear. When I asked whether be could not be made to appear, I was informed by Mayor Keiley that the board had no power to force him. What a farce is such a trial? What man in his senses would bring charges against any man for any offence if he knew beforehand that he had no power to get witnesses to testify. The prosecutor's own tes-timony is evidently not sufficient, and if he is not empowered to sustain his charges by tween Eleventh and Twelfth for \$10,000; 15 be damaging to Mr. Shields or to himself.

## MANCHESTER NEWS.

W. W. PARKER, M. D.

FINED TWENTY DOLLARS.-Sam. Stein was fined twenty dollars Saturday by Mayor

ORDERED TO LEAVE .- Saturday John Anderson, who claimed to be a mender of broken earthenware, was before the Mayor's Court rthenware, was before the Mayor's Court arged with being a vagrant. His Honor we him six hours within which to get be and the corporate limits of the city.

STATE TAXES.—An important notice bearing upon the caption to this article, promulted by the city treasurer, can be found in captured in all its branches, Penmanship (both plain and ornamentall), Commercial Law, Commercial Artimetic, Boaheas Customs, Forms, Corporated by the city treasurer, can be found in the capture of this paper. charged with being a vagrant. His Honor gave him six hours within which to get beyoud the corporate limits of the city.

831 feet on Seventh street near D for \$8,325; ing upon the caption to this article, promulthe advertising columns of this paper. TO ONE AND ALL.-Are you suffering from a

ough, cold, asthma, bronchitis, or any of the various pulmonary troubles, that so often terminate in consumption? If so, use "WILBOR'S PURE COD-LIVER OIL AND LIME," a safe and efficacious remedy. This is no quack preparation, but is regularly prescribed by the medical faculty. Manufactured only by A. B. WILBOB, Chemist, Boston. Sold by all druggists,

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made differently from any other. The edges are all folded, and the surface is an exact imitation of

TION SALE of M. BATES, to take place THIS DAY at

o'clock P. M., of Lors on Marshall street facing

REMEMBER THIS Now is the time of the year

or pneumonia and fatal results of predisp

lruggist and ask him of its wonderful su

rice for three-year old. \$8.50 pergalion.

DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE. Good work,

your shoes or boots made. A fit guaranteed.

DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE.-Unsurpass

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editious manner.

WE WANT TO IMPRESS ON THE MINDS of all OUR

readers that they should go to BOSCHEN'S to buy

COMMISSION MERCHANTS .- We solicit youror-

ders for printing, or a call at any time you may wish to see specimens or ob ain estimates, feeling

I have analyzed the Whiskey known under the

brand of "B SELECT," controlled by Messrs. WAL-

FREE FROM FUSIL OIL and other impurities, and

recommend its use for medicinal and family pur-

DISPATCH PRINTING-HOUSE .- In order to mee

the constantly increasing demands of our trade we

have added a well-selected assortment of NEW

TYPE, which, together with our IMPROVED MA-

CHINERY and SKILFUL MECHANICAL TALENT

warrant us in guaranteeing the VERY BEST CLASS

OF WORK at moderate figures and in the most ex-

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

. McCORMICK, 10 A. M., furniture, cutlery, bats,

caps, &c.
GRUBBS & WILLIAMS, 4% P. M., two frame
dwellings on the east side of Fourth street between Jackson and Duval.

I. BATES, 4 P. M., building lots on the north side

WHITEHEAD, DICKINSON & CO., 10% A

WOOD AND COAL.

CANNELTON SEMI-CANNEL, THE PEERLESS COAL for open grates. Kindles quicker, gives more heat, and lasts longer; and will be found the most eco-

mical fuel on the market.
S. P. LATHROP.
Sole Agent for Richmond,
10 19 Seventeenth street at drawbridge.

THE PERFECTION OF FUEL is my

pure, free-burning, and weighed grate and nut
ANTHRACITE and peerless SPLINT and CLOVER HILL COAL, and unrivalled SOFT COKE.
For its quantity, quality, convenience, and economy, good housekeepers always buy my machine-pre
pared KINDLING, COOKING, and long PINE and
OAK WOOD, at Ninth and Cary and Rasin bankno 19
J. B. WATKINS.

DAILY RECEIVED and freshly mined. I guarantee it to burn longer than any splint coal sold in this market. It has no superior as a GRATE COAL. Satisfaction guaranteed to all who may use it.

no 18 CARRIAGTON, Sole Agent, no 18 corner Seventeenth and Cary streets.

TOAL AND WOOD .- I am now selling

YKEN'S VALLEY COAL .- Four hun

Reliance and Burnside Egg and Stove; West Virginia Splint of all kinds; George's Creek Cumberland, for steam and smiths' use; Clover Hill and Midothian Lump; Soft Lump and Hall Coke; Osk and Pine Wood. WIRT ROBERTS, oc 24 corner Seventeenth and Cary streets.

Now is the time to buy at low rates. October 1st

Now is the time to buy as to the COAL will be sold at higher prices.
ANTHRACITE, CLOVER HILL, SPLINT, NORWOOD, and BLACK HEATH COAL:
CARBON HILL and BELLONA SOFT COKE;
CARBON HILL and BELLONA SOFT COKE;

OAK and PINE WOOD-long, sawed, and kindling

ANTHRACITE COAL for furnaces, Lastrobes, self-feeders, base-burners, and other stoves; CLOVER HILL LUMP and HALL, for grates; WEST VIRGINIA SPLINT (No. 5 block), highly recommended; BLACK HEATH lump, average, and smiths'—burns like the Midiothian, and is mined on adjacent property. For sale at prices to satisfy dealers or consumers.

ALBERT BLAIR,

LIME, CEMENT, AND PLASTER.

MANUFACTURERS OF

"INDIAN BOOK" LIME,
bave opened an office at 1298 Cary street (McKinency & Dupuy's). Orders solicited.

Lime Deport, old stand, 1503 Dock street,
Richmond, Va., October 5, 1875.

MATS, CAPS, &c.

HATS, FURS, AND MILLINERY.

MACMURDO & REDFORD'S,

HATS, FURS, AND MILLINERY, HATS, FURS, AND MILLINERY

AT POPULAE PRICES.
FIRST PRE MIUM
awarded at the State Fair for the best display o
Hats, Furs, and Millinery to

EDUCATIONAL.

NIGHT SCHOOL AT 512 EAST FRANK-

REWARD WITHDRAWN,—The reward Christopher Hant, supposed to have been

RAILROAD AND STEAMBOAT WORK HOUSE.

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MACMURDO & REDFORD, 1009 Main street.

OILLION, ELLETT & CO.,

Fighth and Main streets.

Fourteenth street near Mayo's bridge.

DEDUCED PRICES.

GRAY SPLINT COAL

Marshall between Thirty-third and Thirty-

J. B. McCAW, M.D.,

Medical College of Va.

Late Professor of Chemistry,

TER D. BLAIR & Co., Richmond, Va., and find it

assured that it will be to your advantage.

THE VIRGINIA RILEY WHISKEY sold by CHRIS

proposed park at Chimberszo, which offers

mptions Boscher's German Syrup bas

ats as an investment or for comforts-

## BY TELEGRAPH.

Washing to M. November 27.—Indian Washing or on, November 27.—Indian Agent Saville telegraphs from the Red Cloud agency that a young Indian without provocations man named Bosler while bring ing in cattle. He will demand the ar fused, and asks advice. Commissione replies: "The Indians must be co

replies: "The indians must be compelled to surrender the guilty party if the military sand by you. Stop rations until the surrender is made."

Secretary Chandler to-day dismissed the chief clerk, three heads of divisions, and seven other principal clerks of the Bureau of Indian Affairs. This makes a clean sweep of three years without a single failure to cure. If you all the old cierks associated for any length of time with the Bureau. Their successors TIAN & WHITE has been analyzed by Drs. McCaw and Taylor and recommended as a pure medicing;

have not been named.

Secretary Bristow has sent a dispatch to
the United States: district attorney at St. beverage. Price for two-year old, \$2.50 per galleni Louis, in which he brands os absolutely and unqualifiedly, false the statement of a wit-REASONS FOR USING THE EUGERA SPOOL-SILK It is full size, it is full length; it is smooth and clastic, and equally adopted to hand or machine use. ness in the trial of William O. Avery to the effect that he (Bristow) was interested in a distillery or liquor-bouse at Louisville, Ky. He repeats a request heretofore communicated to the district attorney that these transfer on the Government be probed to the very better. SAVE MONEY by having your printing done at the GO TO HERMAN BOSCHEN & BROTHER'S to have

The commissionership of Indian effairs has been tendered to kdward S. Tobey, of Boston, vice Smith. There is reason to believe he will accept, and be appointed Mon-

printing. Orders filled promptly and at low prices. The vacancies caused by removal to-day will be filled after consultation with the new commissioner. heir boots, and rillses, 509 and 511

New York Items.

NEW YORK, November 27.—The People's Savings Bank closed to-day. Deposits, two hundred thousand dollars. Colonel Robert D. Anges, ex-deputy colgling goods through the appraiser's office at under valuation. He was sentenced to two years' confinement and ten thousand dollars' fine; also, to remain in prison till it is paid.

Counterfeiters Sentenced. PATERSON, N. J., November 27.-Two Italian girls, aged respectively fifteen and eighteen years, were sentenced to three years' confinement for passing counterfeit

Patrons of Husbandry. Louisville, November 27.—In the National Grange, last night, Mr. Dave, of Kentucky, offered a preamble and resolutions reciting that the agricultural interests were unjustly burdened, and that these interests were not properly represented in the legislation of the country; recommending the substitution of intelligent and practical farmers; recommending grangers to keep out of party politics and give their votes to pro-moting agricultural interests. Referred.

Funeral Obsequies. PHILADELPHIA, November 27 .- Fully ten housand persons viewed the remains of Vice-President Wilson at Independence MOAL AND WOOD. -Unsurpassed Hall. The ceremonies were carried out ac-

COAL AND WOOD.—Unsurpassed
SPLINT COAL atvery lowest prices; OAK
WOOD \$5 per cord; PINE. \$4.50 per cord, delivered; COKE and CLOVER HILL COAL at summer
prices; all sizes first-class ANTHRACITE COAL
at from \$6.25 to \$7 per tou. All fuel at lowest
prices, for cash, at Nineteenth and Cary streets.
C. H. PAGE.

The Vice-President's remains arrived here at 2 o'clock. New York, November 27 .- Major General Hancock, United States army, and staff; Admiral Rowan, United States navy, and staff; Governor Tilden and his full staff, re-

ceived the remains of the deceased Vice-Pre-sident a Jersey City. The display through-out was grand. Many houses along the line of march were draped in mourning. Obituaries. WESTMINSTER, MD., November 27.—E. J. Crout, aged fity-five, a leading lawyer here, fell dead while addressing a jury.

BALTIMORE, November 27.—Peter A.

Kelly, aged sixty, well known here, was found dead in bed at Barnum's Hotel. He was for many years vice-president of the Hibernian Society. Mrs. Moulton's Troubles. New York, November 27 .- Plymouth Church reconsidered their action of dropping Vest's name from the roll.

Beecher read a long letter to Mrs. Moulton containing this: "We accept your proposition for a call of mutual council of churches, nd will listen to their fraternal advice." LATEST FOREIGN NEWS.

Streets.

813. COAL AND WOOD 813.

I keep constantly on hand a full supply of all kinds of FUEL, such as RED and WHITE ASH ANTHRACITE COAL, all sizes; CLOVER HILL LUMP and HAIL COAL, SOFT COKE, WEST VIRGINIA SPLINT LUMP and HAIL COAL, OAK and PINE WOOD, long, sawed, and split. All coal sold by weight, and guaranteed to give entire satisfaction in all respects. COAL and WOOD of various qualities to suit buyers of all kinds. A call is requested, and a sale guaranteed. Entrance from basin bank and Cary street.

No. 813 Basin bank, between oc 26-1m.

Eighth and Ninth streets. England. SUEZ CANAL STOCK, &C. LONDON, November 27.-The purchase of the Suez Canal stock is heartily approved by the English Press. THE WAINWRIGHT MURDER-TRIAL.

LONDON, November 27.—In the trial of Henry and Thomas Wainwright, for 11 & murder of Harriet Lane, on the White Chapel road, last year, the prosecution closed their case to-day. The counsel of the Waia, wrights then opened with a speech of four and a half hours' duration. He developed no new theory of defence, relying on the insufficiency of the identification of the remains, the insufficient proof of murder, and the incompleteness of the chain of circumstantial evidence.

France. PARIS, November 27 .- The official journal says the Government of Paris, after consultation with the council of ministers, has resolvest to prevent all meetings of a character to excite disorder. This is evidently aimed at Cassagnac's speech at Belleville and a Radical counter demonstration organizing here.

In the Assembly to-day the debate on the electoral bill was continued.

BALTIMORE, November 27 .- Professor C. BALTIMORE, November 27.—Professor C.
A. Pope, aged forty-five, was found dead here this morning. He had letters recommending him highly as a professor of music and languages, also papers showing he was a member of Eagle Lodge, No. 71, of Hillsboro', N. C. One letter, from his wife, was dated Tunggie's Tenk (no State). dated Tuggle's Tank (no State). New Haven, November 27. - Ex-Governor James E. English has been appointed United States senator vice Ferry, deceased. His ap-pointment is received with favor by both po-

Various Items.

itical parties. A large force of men has been sent to work on the southern extension of the Denver and Rio Grande railroad.

FRANKFORT, N. Y., November 27,—There is a good deal of ice in the canal between here sad Utica, and between here and Little

Falls, A large number of boats are under way between those points, and there is no detention. FORT MONROS, November 27.—Arthur Curry, aged fifteen, son of Lieutenant James Curry, of the Fifth United States artillery, while hunting to day accidentally shot himself through the heart. This is the third death by accident in the family within the past six months, his mother and sister having

been drowned in Mill creek last spring United States Sentic occasioned by the centar of ex-President Johnson, started for Washington to-night. The citizens turned out on masse and escorted him to the defict amidst hondres, torchlights sky-rockets, music, and enthusiastic demonstrations of re-

gard.
Topska, I. T., November 27. The Cherocounted the votes cast at the

MEMPHS, November 27.— Court to-day affirmed the se cases of John Jefferson and M They will be hanged on the next—Jefferson heroand MoLe